## **RESOLUTION <u>02-2010</u>**

A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CARROLLTON, STATE OF GEORGIA, TO AMEND CHAPTER 66 ("OFFENSES AND MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS"), SECTION 66-7 ("DISORDERLY CONDUCT") OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES, CITY OF CARROLLTON, GEORGIA TO EXPAND WHAT CONSTITUTES DISORDERLY CONDUCT

WHEREAS, Chapter 66 ("Offenses and Miscellaneous Provisions"), Section 66-7 ("Disorderly Conduct") of the Code of Ordinances, City of Carrollton, Georgia defines certain acts and activities as "disorderly conduct" and provides that such acts and activities shall be punished as provided in Section 1-11 of the Code of Ordinances, City of Carrollton, Georgia;

WHEREAS, the Chief of the Carrollton Police Department has recommended certain changes to the Code of Ordinances, City of Carrollton, Georgia, so that additional acts and activities are punishable as "disorderly conduct;" and

WHEREAS, the Mayor and City Council of Carrollton find it in the public interest to amend Chapter 66 ("Offenses and Miscellaneous Provisions"), Section 66-7 ("Disorderly Conduct") of the Code of Ordinances, City of Carrollton, Georgia as recommended by the Chief of Police.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Mayor and City Council of Carrollton do hereby amend Chapter 66 ("Offenses and Miscellaneous Provisions"), Section 66-7 ("Disorderly Conduct") by adding new subsections "(a)(21)," "(a)(22)," and "(a)(23)" as follows:

## Sec. 66-7. Disorderly conduct.

(a) Any person shall be guilty of disorderly conduct if he:

. . .

- (21) Within the corporate limits of the city, is or appears to be in an intoxicated condition, whether by alcohol or drugs, on the sidewalks, in the parks, the square, the streets, public buildings and other public places, in which condition is made manifest by boisterousness including vulgar, profane, loud or unbecoming language, by indecent condition or act, or by behavior that endangers his or her life or safety or that of any other person;
- (22) Willfully obstructs or hinders a Carrollton Police Officer in the lawful discharge of his or her duties; to include fleeing after being given a lawful command to stop, resisting a lawful arrest, refusing to identify himself when given a lawful request

- to do so, providing false identification, and/or failing to disperse an incident scene or scene of investigation after being instructed to do so;
- (23) Remains, loiters, or prowls in a place, at a time, or in a manner not usual for law-abiding individuals under circumstances that warrant a justifiable and reasonable alarm or immediate concern for the safety of persons or property in the vicinity.

Except as thus amended, all other provisions of Chapter 66 ("Offenses and Miscellaneous Provisions"), Section 66-7 ("Disorderly Conduct") remain in full force and effect.

ADOPTED this 7th day of June, 2010.

MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF CARROLLTON	
Mayor, City of Carrollton	Clerk, City of Carrollton